

BEFORE THE
Federal Communications Commission
 WASHINGTON, D. C. 20554

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
 OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

In the Matter of)
)
 Amendment of Section 73.202(b))
 Table of Assignments)
 FM Broadcast Stations) File No. RM-_____
 (Flandreau, South Dakota))
 To: The Commission

PETITION FOR RULEMAKING

Carmen C. Christensen ("Christensen"), the prospective applicant for a new FM broadcast station at Flandreau, South Dakota, hereby requests the Commission to institute a rulemaking proceeding for the amendment of Section 73.202(b) of the Rules to make the following changes:

<u>City & State</u>	<u>Present</u>	<u>Proposed</u>
Flandreau, S.D.	---	300C3


The attached Engineering Statement (Attachment A) establishes that Channel 300C3 can be assigned to Flandreau under the Commission's rules. The assignment would present no siting problems and at the reference point listed all required separations are fully met. Additionally, a station operating at this reference point will provide city-grade coverage to all of Flandreau.

The proposed assignment would provide Flandreau its first broadcast service.

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Christensen will expeditiously apply for operation on Channel 300C3, if allocated to Flandreau, and if granted, will promptly build the proposed FM broadcast station.

CARMEN C. CHRISTENSEN

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Attachment A

ENGINEERING STATEMENT

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The following engineering statement and attached exhibit have been prepared for Carmen C. Christenson and are in support of his Petition for Rulemaking to modify Section 73.202(b), the FM Table of Allotments, of the Commission's Rules and Regulations.

The Petitioner seeks to modify Section 73.202(b) of the Commission's Rules and Regulations in the following manner:


<u>City</u>	<u>Existing</u>	<u>Proposed</u>
Flandreau, South Dakota	---	300C3

As shown in the attached single channel study, Channel 300 can be allocated to Flandreau, South Dakota as a Class C3 facility fully in accordance with all of the spacing requirements contained in the Commission's Rules and Regulations. The coordinates shown of 44° 06' 00" North and 96° 38' 00" West specify reference coordinates for the rulemaking which are adjacent to the city of Flandreau, South Dakota and which would permit a city grade signal to be provided to the entire city of license. This rulemaking would not be in conflict with any proposed rulemaking currently contained in the Commission's Official Database.

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The proponent will file FCC Form 301 to seek a construction permit promptly upon the Commission's approval of this rulemaking.

The preceding statement and attached exhibit have been prepared by me or under my direction and are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.



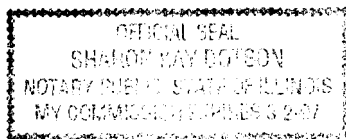
Donald L. Markley, P.E.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this ⁴28 Day of February, 1994.



Notary

My commission expires:



Single Channel Study For: Flandreau, SD On Ch. 300 C3 -107.9 Mhz.

States Searched: MN,IA,NE,ND,SD,ON

44° 06' 00" N.

Run Date: 02-19-1994

96° 38' 00" W.

CHANNEL	ALLOTMENT OR STATION	CLASS	CALCULATED - KM. (MI.)	REQUIRED KM.	BEARING Deg. T.
246	NO CONFLICT				
247	USED Sioux Falls	SD C1	55.9 (34.8)	24	180.5
247 KPAT	LIC Sioux Falls	SD C1	55.9 (34.8)	24	180.5
297	NO CONFLICT				
298 KBJJ	CP Marshall	MN C3	70.6 (43.9)	43	60.4
298	USED Marshall	MN C3	70.6 (43.9)	43	60.4
299 KICD-FM	LIC Spencer	IA C1	158.6 (98.6)	144	130.4
299	USED Spencer	IA C1	158.6 (98.6)	144	130.4
300	NO CONFLICT				

*-Short Spaced

Only listings with clearances less than 32 Km. are shown.

This study utilized a copy of the FCC FM Database as published monthly by the National Technical Information Service. D. L. Markley & Associates, Inc. believes this information to be accurate and current. However, D. L. Markley & Associates, Inc. does not assume any responsibility for any erroneous or incomplete data furnished as part of that database.